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"There used to be a famous character in our part of the world named Frank O'Connor," said a Cincinnati man, "and the stories of his doings and sayings still form a large part of the staple anecdotes of the country which he used to permeate.

"One of his stock expressions has passed from local to national use. If any one did a particularly clever thing or said anything that especially struck him, O'Connor would say, 'That shows almost human intelligence,' and when far and near I hear that expression used it conjures up memories of my genial old friend.

"Up in Ontario at one time ill fortune compelled O'Connor to accept a job on a farm, where a friend one day found him, the sweat pouring off his brow and a spade in his hand. 'Hello, Frank,' he unkindly called. 'Are you doing very well digging out postholes? 'I'm not,' was the tart response of O'Connor, 'I'm digging out mud and leaving the holes.'"

He Wasn't Deported.

Shortly after the Chinese exclusion act was passed the secretary of state received a letter from Pennsylvania, signed by a Chinaman. The writer said that he had been deported in this legislation and that he fell within the conditions of this act. He had come to this country under false pretenses, and hence he should be deported immediately. The request was so strange that the secretary of state ordered an investigation. The agent reported a few days later that the Chinaman's statement about the way in which he had entered this country was correct and that he should be deported. There was just one drawback to this programme, however. The Chinaman had been convicted of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Extremes in Iceland.

In Iceland nature seems to have deserted all her ordinary operations and to have worked only in combining the most terrific extremes which her powers can command. Nor is she yet silent. After the lapse of ages the fire of the volcano still bursts out among the regions of eternal snow, and the impetuous thundering of the geysers continues to disturb the stillness of the surrounding solitude.

A Gate Covered With Shoes.

The principal gateway at Alahabad is thickly studded with horseshoes of every size and make. There are hundreds of them nailed all over the great gates, doubtless the offering of many a wayfarer who has long since finished his earthly pilgrimage. The sacred gates of Somnath, in the fort of Agra, are similarly adorned.

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Interesting Career and Home Life of the New President of the United States.

Theodore Roosevelt, the new president of the United States, is one of the most remarkable men in this country. His career, which from the outset has been a most "strenuous" one, may be divided into nine phases or stages, leading up to the tenth as president, upon the duties of which he is just entering.

In nine different roles he has given evidence of the attributes that make him today perhaps the most talked of man of forty-three in the world.

Of aristocratic birth, a member of a family distinguished for valor, patriotism and culture for many generations, young Roosevelt first sued for public favor when he appeared as candidate for assemblyman in his native city, New York. He was then just out of college, 1879, and was twenty-one years of age.

Even his opponents admit that he was a zealous servant of his own party—an unwavering Republican. He was then, as now, athletic and remarkable for his boundless energy, his interest in people and things and his unflinching enthusiasm.

The second stage of Mr. Roosevelt's public career was that in which he announced himself as candidate for mayor of New York.

It was very characteristic that he should, with his belief in himself, consider the office of mayor which he was equipped to fill, but unquestionably if Mr. Roosevelt were consulted today he would agree with his friends that his defeat in this race was beneficial to him. Defeated as candidate for mayor, Mr. Roosevelt next appears as a national civil service commissioner, and here again his party found him studious, untiring, capable and efficient.

This appointment was made in 1889 by President Harrison when Roosevelt was a trifle over thirty. Two years later, in 1891 (the fourth stage of Mr. Roosevelt's remarkable life, he appears as a hunter of big game.

When Theodore Roosevelt concluded to hunt grizzly bears, he naturally de-

clined to do so in what he considered proper costume, and it is most interesting to see the dramatic instinct again dominating. The pictures of Mr. Roosevelt taken in his costume as a hunter show him holding his rifle, loaded with many bullets. The leather breeches, with their picturesque adornment of fringe; the hunting shirt of leather, embroidered supposedly by Indians; the scarlet silk handkerchief, ivory handled revolver, the knife thrust through the cartridge belt, are all the fitting paraphernalia of the cowboy's hero.

When Roosevelt, dressed in his gaudy and personally selected hunting costume, made his appearance among the untrammelled citizens around Little Missouri river, he was looked upon as a tenderfoot of a very elementary brand. The toughest looking fellow proposed to show him a thing or two arranged among themselves, in their own expressive language, "to take some of the frills off the New York tenderfoot."

A well known character approached Roosevelt and asked him what he intended to do and what kind of game he was after. The New Yorker said he was after grizzlies, and it was soon after that the "four eyed tenderfoot" was looking for big game. The hardest man in the vicinity sent word to Roosevelt that he couldn't shoot any grizzlies in that territory and that if he attempted to the "bad man" in question would be informed and proposed to shoot Roosevelt at sight.

When this message was conveyed to the blue eyed tenderfoot, he seemed greatly pleased, and, looking eagerly through his glasses, he inquired of his informant "where the 'bad man' lived."

Immediately upon receiving the desired information Roosevelt rode over to see the man who proposed to shoot him. When he reached the camp of the individual in question, the "bad man" had forgotten why he intended to shoot and was very much disposed to be amiable with the tenderfoot from the east.

Mr. Roosevelt not only wore a costume which he considered appropriate for killing grizzlies, but he actually killed more bears than the best of the "bad men," and his unquestioned bravery and fearlessness won him, as it all ways does with the Bret Harte type of man, unbounded respect and love.

What the men of the west thought of the tenderfoot was shown when Theodore Roosevelt called for volunteers for the rough riders, among whom were some of those who tried to

"take the frills off the New York dude" when he first appeared among them and who today lovingly and loyally refer to him as a leader whom they would follow to the death.

POLICE COMMISSIONER OF NEW YORK.

The fifth stage of Mr. Roosevelt's career was embodied in his service as police commissioner of New York City. Other commissioners have come and

gone, but their records are more or less prosaic, but the history of Theodore Roosevelt stands out again picturesque, dramatic and alive with the intensity of the man's nature, an intensity which differentiates him at every step of his career from his predecessors or successors.

As police commissioner Mr. Roosevelt made New York seethe with excitement. Disguised, he visited at night the various precincts, seeing for himself and testing the probity and capability of his corps. By day he fought the other police commissioners, he upset old time rules and enforced old time "blue laws," because, as he explained, they were in the statute books and must be obeyed until they were repealed.

The sixth phase of Mr. Roosevelt's career was brief, but most satisfactory, and was embraced in the short time of his service as assistant secretary of the navy. Colonel Roosevelt was nominated by President McKinley on April 9, 1897, and on April 17 he tendered his resignation as police commissioner to Mayor Strong of New York city.

From the very first Roosevelt foresaw the possibility of a conflict with Spain, and he set about preparing his department for it. He pushed repairs on the ships, he worked with might and main for the navy personnel bill and visited the various naval reserves throughout the country. He left nothing undone, in fact, that would secure the highest efficiency in the service when the time for action came. It is an open secret that it was he who first realized the tremendous opportunity that the war would open in the east and who had Devey, in whom he recognized the right man for the place, appointed to command the eastern squadron. And naval officers agree that the remarkable skill in marksmanship displayed by the American gunners was due to his foresight. He saw the necessity of practice, and he thought it the best kind of economy to burn up ammunition in acquiring skill.

A characteristic story, of the truth of which there is no doubt, is told regarding Roosevelt's insistence on practice in the navy. Shortly after his appointment he asked for an appropriation of \$800,000 for ammunition, powder and shot for the navy. The appropriation was made, and a few months later he asked for another appropriation, this time of \$500,000. When asked by the proper authorities

what had become of the first appropriation, he replied, "Every cent of it was spent for powder and shot, and every bit of powder and shot has been fired." When he was asked what he was going to do with the \$500,000, he replied, "Use every ounce of that, too, within the next thirty days in practice shooting." When the Maine was blown up, Mr. Roosevelt had no doubt that war would follow and that shortly, and his energies were bent with redoubled force to getting the navy ready. When war did finally break out, Mr. Roosevelt was for rushing matters, for taking Havana at once and dictating terms from there.

Naturally enough, Roosevelt would not be content to sit behind a desk while there was fighting going on. He submitted his resignation to the president on April 16 and tried to get an appointment upon General Lee's staff. Then came the rough rider idea, the seventh phase of Roosevelt's career, hardly thought of before it was realized. "Roosevelt's rough riders" something in the alliteration of the name struck the popular fancy, and the regiment became famous before it was organized, to fit him to command a regiment in time of war, and he modestly took the second place and was content to learn from his friend, Dr. Wood

It is hardly necessary to recount the history of the rough riders from the time they were organized in San Antonio, Tex., until they were mustered out at Camp Wikoff—to recall the jungle fight of Las Guasimas and the bloody charge at San Juan Hill. The tale is still on every one's lips. But it is worth while to recall the remarkable influence Roosevelt's personality had over his men, an influence that welded a thousand or more independent cowpunchers, ranchers and athletes into a fighting machine. "You've got to perform without flinching whatever duty is assigned you regardless of the difficulty or danger attending it. No matter what comes you mustn't squeal." These words of Roosevelt's became almost a religion with his men. "To do anything without flinching and not to squeal" was their aim, and to hear the colonel say "Bully" was reward enough.

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We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep us posted concerning events of public interest happening in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social topics, new buildings, persons leaving or coming into the county, are always acceptable. Give details of important items, no matter how rough a shape. Avoid personal remarks that might give offense. Visitors between towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

RANSOMING MISSIONARIES.

The Bulgarian brigands who are holding in captivity Miss Stone, an American missionary, demand \$100,000 as the price of her ransom. This sum is to be paid by November 8, otherwise the captive will be put to death or compelled to become the wife of one of the brigands. That is the way these freebooters do things in the mountain fastnesses of Bulgaria. The Turkish authorities are powerless to stop these outrages. There is nothing uncommon in that region in such lawless occurrences. The fact that has brought this case into such startling prominence is that the captive is an American. The government is considering the propriety of recognizing this brigandage by paying the money ransom. It certainly would be establishing a bad precedent to concede to the demands of these outlaws. They would conclude that the United States citizens afforded an unusually remunerative field for their operations, and would naturally push the captive and ransom business in this direction for all it is worth. We do not know of an instance of a government paying the claims of ransom put forward by the brigands of Europe. Individuals have been ransomed, but by their friends, and not by the government to which they owe allegiance. We believe in the United States extending its protection to the utmost of its power to every citizen, whether for business or pleasure. The missionaries of our various religious denominations are no doubt doing much good in foreign fields. But it becomes a very serious question whether the United States, or any other government, is under any obligation to get the missionaries out of every scrape they manage to get into by virtue of their proselytizing mission. Our missionaries go to make war—by the noble methods of moral suasion and upright living it is true—upon the time-honored religious customs and creeds of the country to which they are accredited. They voluntarily assume this position, moved thereto no doubt by the purest humanitarian motives. They do not represent the government in their self-sacrificing work, but simply the religious organization to which they belong, and which furnishes them with the means to pursue their work. As far as the United States is concerned, all religions are alike. If the government interferes at all, it would be not to protect the missionary, but the citizen, and it is a debatable point whether the missionary abroad does not by the very nature of his work, forfeit his citizen's claim to the protection of his government. We have naught but words of praise to say concerning the noble band of missionaries and their work for the regeneration of the world. The question is, is it not the place of the religious denominations rather than the civil government, to protect them in their work. Their work necessarily involves an attack upon the deep-rooted religious prejudices of the people to whom they are sent. The Boxer rising in China last year was mainly owing to the missionaries, and aimed against them. It is about time that the United States clearly defined its position on the proposition of defending missionaries who happen to get into trouble in foreign lands.

This is not the first time that an attempt has been made to work the great emergency business in bridge building. Many years ago, a proposition was submitted to build an emergency bridge in lone valley. The supervisors were urged to enter into a contract without calling for bids. A contractor was present, and submitted figures and was ready to take the contract at his own price, which he contended was reasonable, and could not be bettered if bids were called for. The board, in the face of opposition, refused to have the work done in that way, and called for proposals in the usual way. The result was there was something like a thousand dollars difference in the contract price under open competition, and the proposed cost under the emergency dodge. By a narrow margin the supervisors escaped the trap then. We believe our present supervisors are equal to this emergency, and will not allow themselves to be caught in the trap now, with the experience of the past before them.

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An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. He remembered him until he tried Electric Bids which effected such a wonderful change that he writes her like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Spagnoli's Drug Store.

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THE EMERGENCY BUSINESS.

It will be noticed from the minutes of the board of supervisors, published in another column, that the reconstruction of a certain bridge near Carbondale has been declared to be a case of "great emergency." All the members of the board agreed to meet at the bridge on Tuesday last for the purpose of inspecting the same, and a special meeting for the supervisors has been called for Monday next to take some action toward its repair or reconstruction. Probably few of our readers are aware of the legal import of this declaration of "great emergency" when used in regard to a delapidated bridge. We therefore give the section of the law bearing on this point. After requiring that under ordinary conditions the construction of bridges must be let by contract to the lowest bidder after published notice for bids, the law says:

"Provided that in cases of great emergency, by the unanimous consent of the whole board, they may proceed at once to replace and repair any and all bridges and structures without notice."

It will be seen from this that in great emergencies the board can avoid the delay necessarily incurred in advertising for proposals, and contract for a structure without regard to those provisions which are intended to safeguard the interests of the taxpayers. The wisdom of this law is apparent. Where a bridge constituting the only means of communication, is suddenly swept away by a flood, or destroyed by fire or some convulsion of nature, the demands of traffic may require that it be replaced with the utmost dispatch. The loss from interrupted traffic is considered of far greater importance than the saving that might be effected in following the usual custom of contracting with the lowest bidder, after notice. It is unfortunate that the board, before investigation, has declared this Carbondale bridge a case of great emergency. We have no hesitation in saying that it does not meet the conditions of such an emergency at all. It may be unsafe and dangerous; it may be that the stage driver requires his passengers to get out and walk across it, as a precautionary measure; these things, however, do not make it a "great emergency" under the law. If the mere fact of its being rotten and unsafe brings it within the "great emergency" clause, every bridge that ever has been or ever will be reconstructed in Amador county might, with equal reason, be brought under the operation of the same law. The provision requiring such work to be advertised and submitted to competition is farcical under such a strained construction, for no board of supervisors would dream of tearing down an old bridge until it has become unsafe for traffic.

In this Carbondale case it is not claimed that the bridge has been subjected to anything extraordinary. It has simply rotted under ordinary influences, and at the close of the dry season it is suddenly sprung upon the county that a great hurry exists for a new bridge, and there is no time to call for bids. Why not? Simply because either some one has neglected his business, in failing to notice the progress of natural decay of the bridge, or else that some one wants a fat job, and has seized the great emergency provision as an excuse for dispensing with competition in order to get it.

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Township one easily holds the banner in criminal business. This month Jackson's justice court has fairly distanced all competitors in the volume of business transacted. The record is one to be deplored, and the question may be asked in all seriousness whether the county seat deserves this unenviable notoriety to the extent indicated by the official returns. Is it the practice in Jackson to put the criminal brand upon every little lapse from grace which in other sections would be passed unnoticed. During September we furnished twelve arrests, against eight for the balance of the county. Of this dozen, every one was mulcted in either fine or imprisonment, against only four convictions for all the other townships. Our local judiciary sent eight of these petty offenders to board at the county's expense, with terms varying from ten to forty days—the average being 24 days. In this respect the rest of the county failed to score at all. An aggregate of 190 days in jail in one month can't be beat by many towns of Jackson's size. An expense of \$100 per month for board alone is a record for our local incorporationists to ponder over. What are we trying to do anyway? Are we in the race for the championship of the world? Or have we taken a contract under a distorted interpretation of the scriptural injunction, "Go ye into the highways, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled."

The unfair attack on the incorporation of Sutter Creek and the committee's proposed platform by the Amador Ledger was discussed, and it was decided to make no reply to the same.—Amador Record.

The needless use of the word "unfair" is not only a reply, but a counter attack and challenge to the ledger. We do not know whether the committee that engaged in the discussion of the article in the Ledger or the Record is chargeable with the employment of that objectionable term. In either case, we in vite a full discussion in support of this allegation of unfairness. The Ledger is not addicted to treating any public question unfairly, but on the contrary is ever ready to oppose what it regards as the unfair treatment of a public question by others.

SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

Lulu Eldred vs. Stephen R. Eldred—Decree of divorce granted on ground of failure to provide. Plaintiff permitted to resume her maiden name. High Point Mining Co. vs. H. H. Brown—Demurrer overruled and defendant granted 10 days to answer. Nina O'Hara vs. O'Hara—Motion for change of venue and demurrer. By consent trial taken up at this time. Decree granted as prayed for. South Spring Hill Mining Co. vs. Keystone Consolidated Mining Co.—Hearing of motion for change of venue continued until October 12.

Vincent Brignolo vs. Luigi Ferdinando et al.—Argument on demurrer to be called up by court.

Amador county vs. Fayette Mace—Demurrer argued and submitted. Central Eureka Mining Co. vs. Jas. Toman et al.—Set for trial October 14, to follow other cases.

People vs. William Gustaf—Demurrer sustained, and attorney directed to file new information. New information presented in open court. Motion to dismiss information filed.

Sept. 28—Estate of Margaret Brown—J. A. Brown petitions for letters of administration. Oct. 12 appointed for hearing same.

Adah Hodges vs. George Hodges—Trial commenced, and continued until Oct. 14.

Mary E. Whelan vs. John Riek—Dismissal of both cases on account of failure of plaintiff to appear.

John Chinn vs. D. H. Rule—Set for trial Oct. 12.

H. E. Potter vs. Thomas Laity—Passed, to be set on 5 days' notice.

Estate of Henry Eudy—Hearing on return of sale of personal property set for Oct. 16.

Estate of Rochetti—Order of sale of personal property granted.

Estate of Hubert N. Martell—Decree establishing notice to creditors. Hearing of final account set for Oct. 16.

Estate of Eliza Seabrook—Final account settled, decree of distribution granted.

Estate of R. C. Downs—Order confirming sale of personal property.

Estate of Edward Allen—Petition for probate of will by E. A. Hall; estate valued at \$2500, being money in hands of Jackson Gate and Onella road, who said road intersects the line between sections 16 and 17, Twp. 6 N., R. 11 E., M. D. B. and M., and running thence easterly along the line of the estate of James Fassero, deceased, praying that she be authorized, empowered and directed to mortgage certain real estate belonging to said estate, which is described as follows:

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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Doings in and Around the County Seat.

Jackson Baseballists Defeated.—Oro Fino Circle will give a Grand Ball on Nov. 15th.

For the best tomatoes in town go to Cain's.

Rubber and oil clothing at the White House.

PIONEER FLOUR always has been and still is the best.

If you have lost your appetite, call at Caminetti's Market and you can find it.

You can get a first-class chicken dinner at the Olympus Cafe for twenty-five cents.

Mrs. R. C. Rust returned home Saturday evening, after a protracted visit in San Francisco.

Blankets, comforters, pillows, and mattresses, all prices, at the White House.

Go to Kelley Bros. for the swellest of Gents' furnishing goods, hats and shoes in town, at low prices.

Stuffed olives, Caviar, Pate de Foie Gras, Imp., Kipper Herrings, at Caminetti's Central Market.

Mrs. Dr. Gall, who has been visiting her relatives in Stockton for some weeks, returned home last Saturday.

Banquet and ball suppers can be prepared at short notice and at reasonable rates at the Olympus Cafe.

Robert Ousby has resigned the position of foreman at the Kennedy mine, and John Hosking has succeeded him.

Ladies', mens' and children's underwear at all prices at the White House.

At the Olympus Cafe you can be supplied with meals prepared in the best style of the culinary art and at modern prices.

Oro Fino Circle will give a grand ball in Jackson November 15. Posters will be issued from the Ledger office tomorrow.

The new Episcopal church will be finished for services, and will be consecrated on the first or second Sunday in November.

The new Episcopal church was opened for divine service last Sunday morning, the regular pastor, Rev. Wm. Tuson, officiating.

The board of supervisors will meet in special session on next Monday to take some action in relation to the county bridge at Carbondale.

Men's dress shoes, good quality, from \$1.25 and upwards at the White House.

County treasurer S. G. Spagnoli left for San Francisco Wednesday morning, to be away about a week. He is a delegate to the Grand Lodge of Masons.

The Ladies' Aid of M. E. church will give an afternoon tea at the residence of Mrs. Knapp, on Hamilton tract, Friday afternoon, Oct. 18. All invited to attend.

Trimming silks and velvets at the White House.

Kelley Bros. have received their full line of fall and winter goods, which are all new, nothing shoddy, and will be sold as cheap as the shoddy goods offered in other stores.

Rev. Wm. Tuson went to San Francisco last Tuesday morning to attend the Episcopal convention. He will visit his son who is at St. Matthews military school at San Mateo.

Fresh arrivals of seasonable goods every day at the White House.

The addition to the county hospital is not yet completed. Some hitch has occurred in regard to the doors of the insane wards, which are required to be of more than ordinary stoutness.

The reverend Van Vleet, the newly appointed pastor of the M. E. church here, preached his first sermon here last Sunday, to a fair congregation. His discourses were listened to attentively, and with much interest.

A full line of trunks, valises, grips, and telescope baskets at the White House.

The Rev. Wm. Tuson announces that there will be no services in the Episcopal church on Sunday next, as he is attending the general convention at San Francisco, and the convocation at Benicia. Sunday school as usual.

Robt. Stevens, ex-instructor of the Jackson band, has been in slender health for some time. His affliction is of a dropsical nature. Last Sunday he submitted to an operation at the hands of Dr. Endicott, which will afford relief for some weeks.

Children's and Misses school shoes at the White House.

The ball game that came off last Sunday between the Jackson and Mokelumne Hill teams resulted in a victory for the Hill boys by a score of 13 to 7. The Jackson team being short two men had to pick up a couple of outsiders. Quite a large crowd came over from the Hill to shout for their boys, and returned home in great good humor.

A petition is being circulated to secure subscription to pay for opening Centre street, on the Mason-Webb tract, clear through to Water street. To secure this outlet would be a decided advantage to those living on the north end of the tract. The land necessary to this outlet is owned by Mrs. Breese, and the subscription list is for the purpose of paying for this required strip. It is estimated to cost about \$200.

The homestead contest of A. Rechinello vs. V. Molino has been appealed to the Secretary of the Interior. The contestant won before the local land office, and the decision was sustained by the Commissioner of the General Land Office. Not satisfied with this, the homesteader has taken the matter up to the tribunal of last resort. The case involves the possessory right to 120 acres between New York Ranch and Pine Grove.

Spring chickens and fresh oysters always on hand, and at all hours, at the Olympus Cafe.

To keep healthy you should eat plenty of olives. You can get good ones at Caminetti's Central Market.

The White House is the place to buy Furniture, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Valises at bedrock prices.

There is nothing in the world more delightful than a drink of good whiskey—and Jesse Moore is good whiskey.

A grand masquerade ball will be given in Love's hall, Jackson, by the Foresters of America on next Thanksgiving night, which will be the latter part of next month.

Furniture on instalments at the White House.

Miss Emily Angove returned last Tuesday evening from an extended visit to her sister at Sacramento. She also visited a sister at Grass Valley. She commenced attendance at school yesterday morning.

Invitations are out for the wedding of George P. Murphy of Butte City, this county, and Miss Ida M. Walrad, of Stockton. The marriage is announced to take place next Wednesday at St. Mary's cathedral, Stockton.

The hills are already clothed with verdure. The warm spell following the recent rains has caused the grass to spring up as if by magic. There is fair picking for stock already, something rarely known in this region at this early period of the season.

Prof. A. L. Francis, tuner and salesman for Clark, Wise & Co. San Francisco, will be in Jackson a few days. He is agent for the Weber and other leading pianos. His credentials are unsurpassed as they are from the world great artists and the leading music houses and conservatories of the state. Leave orders at the Globe hotel.

The attention of our readers is called to the new advertisement of L. J. Glavinovich, which appears in another column. The remodeling of his store gives him much more room than he formerly had, and he now carries everything that is desired, or that can be found in any store in the county. We can recommend his goods and his prices.

A free stereopticon and moving picture exhibition was given in Love's hall on Tuesday evening, with the object of organizing in Jackson a lodge of Woodmen of the World, a benefit society similar to the A. O. U. W. The promoters have been here for over a week, and are determined to stay until a branch or the order is established in our midst.

D. A. Patterson, the county recorder, visited the court house on Monday last. This is the second time he has been able to get to his office during the past 20 months. He managed to get down himself, with the aid of a pair of crutches. He is looking very well as regards complexion, and seems to be holding his own as regards flesh. He is still suffering from chronic rheumatism, but not so severely as some months ago, when he was unable to get around at all without assistance.

A Bold Robbery.

Last Saturday between 12:30 and 5:30 in the afternoon—while the occupants were away from home—the residence of W. D. Dufrene was broken into and robbed of ten dollars in cash. The robbers took advantage of the absence of the family, and gained an entrance by cutting a hole in the screen door on the back porch, which enabled them to get at the kitchen door, in which they bored four holes, and then unlatched it. After gaining an entrance they got into a room which is occupied by Mr. Dufrene as an office. In this room they found a small box, in which is kept papers of value, such as notes which are left in Mr. Dufrene's hands for collection. There were a great many papers, but only ten dollars in cash in this box. They left the papers but took the cash. The box belonged to the Amador County Bank and was only taken to the house temporarily. There were three good watches in the house and twenty-five dollars in money that was laying on the table, which the burglars overlooked. Mr. Dufrene does not suspect any one in particular, but thinks it must have been some one to whom he has paid money in the past, as the indications are that the thieves knew just where he kept his money.

Another Old Timer Departed.

Harrison U. Parberry, well-known in and around Volcano, died at Bear River camp on Saturday last. His end came suddenly. He had been ailing for some time, suffering from heart trouble, but he was able to keep at his post until within a short time of his death. He was employed by the Standard Electric Company to take charge of the force of men engaged in charcoal burning. The remains were brought down to Volcano by stage on Tuesday, and were interred in the cemetery of that town. Deceased was one of the pioneer settlers of Volcano. He arrived in that camp in 1849, so we are informed, and has lived in that section ever since, with the exception of brief periods of absence. He was a genial whole-souled fellow, and his death will be deeply regretted by his large circle of friends.

Mothers everywhere praise One Minute Cough Cure for the sufferings it has relieved and the lives of their little ones it has saved. Strikes at the root of the trouble and draws out the inflammation. The children's favorite Cough Cure. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Money in Treasury.

By official count made October 7, the amount and kind of money in the county treasury was as follows:

Gold.....\$ 18390 00
Silver.....3735 34
Checks.....2938 48
Warrants cancelled.....5572 61

Total.....\$30534 40

Soused pig feet, salami, and choice ham and bacon at Caminetti's Central Market.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Meet in Regular Session Monday, Oct. 7.

New Bridge at Carbondale—Warrants Cancelled, Bills Allowed, Etc. Road Matters.

The board of supervisors of Amador county met October 7, present all the members.

The following proceedings were had. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The following claims were examined, allowed and ordered paid out of the various funds, to wit:

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND.

Dr. T. Topp, health officer.....\$ 40 00
Fred LeMoin, mileage 2 meetings.....4 00

E. B. Moore, mileage 2 meetings.....1 60
J. McLaughlin, justice fees.....6 00

G. A. Gordon, traveling expenses court.....25 25
H. Golden, justice fees.....33 00

T. A. Stevens, M. D., examining 10 diseased horses.....2 50
S. Williams, moving rubbish J. E. Kelly, constable fees.....2 45

H. E. Kay, constable fees.....43 40
J. E. Kelly, constable fees.....24 50
J. Thresher, road of gravel.....1 00

L. B. Golden, traveling expenses court.....4 04
U. S. Gregory, board of prisoners.....95 00

F. W. Parker, night watchman W. H. Willis, reporting expenses.....10 00
W. M. Amick, mileage 2 meetings.....6 80

Amador Co. Pub. Co., printing Amador E. R. & L. Co., lights for jail.....3 00

J. H. Giles, justice fees.....9 40
J. G. Spagnoli, postage stamps W. E. Kent, burying chinaman R. L. Kerr, disinfestants, etc. A. E. McLaughlin, mileage 2 meetings.....6 00

E. G. Freeman Co., stationery A. J. Coster, fumigating.....40 00
Dr. E. V. Tiffany, health officer C. P. Vicini, traveling expenses Kelley Bros., bundling.....14 00

Celina Richtmyer, water.....1 10
Dr. B. Schacht, health officer Amador Dispatch, printing.....128 00

E. Ginocchio & Bro., allowance to Morris.....6 00
Jas. Forsyth, repairing hose Sunset Tel. Co., telephone.....10 15

S. Axelrod, drapery.....8 54
Morris Klinker & Co., rubber stamps for assessor.....2 85

Mrs. Planchow, hardware, etc. Geo. A. Gritton, corner's fees R. J. Dunlap, disinfestants, etc. Wm. Going, janitor.....61 50

Geo. A. Gritton, corner's fees Jas. Mortimer, drapery court house.....33 00

Dr. A. L. Adams, health officer Redick Bros, black calico.....4 64

Dr. B. Freshman, health officer Bancroft Whitney Co., law books.....30 00

Hilda Clough, reporting.....15 00
Sunset Tel., sheriff office Sept. Sunset Tel., hall of records Aug. Sunset Tel., hall of records Sept. 7 85

Wm. Scoble, conveying insane to jail.....5 00
C. E. Reynolds, fumigating.....16 00

Robt. Love, guarding infected house.....45 00
John Blower, fumigating.....10 00

Jas. Noe, guarding smallpox W. Scoble, guarding smallpox Theodore Schwartz, guarding smallpox.....45 00

Robt. Dufrene, guarding smallpox.....35 00
Robt. Dufrene, guarding smallpox.....2 50

F. P. Drenan, guarding smallpox.....5 00

HOSPITAL FUND.

T. L. Crabtree, conveying patient, Ione.....5 00
Dr. Gall, county physician.....60 00

Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone Sept.....4 05
Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone Aug.....3 45

W. Bristow, supt. of construction H. W. Ford, conveying patient Slatkown.....4 00

M. Newman, conveying two patients.....4 00
Celina Richtmyer, water.....7 00

Wm. Scoble, conveying two patients, Plymouth.....10 00
P. E. Cannell, fish, etc.....11 90

W. E. Kent, 5 coffins.....25 00
Mrs. C. Langhorst, hardware W. Schroder, digging graves.....9 80

Mrs. A. C. Barrett, matron.....30 00
Amador E. R. & L. Co., lights Miss Anna Cassella, corner's fees.....89 53

Mrs. J. Turner, washing.....6 00
A. C. Barrett, superintendent John Strohm, ice 4 months.....24 90

Onoto & Co., vegetables.....7 00
Thomas & Underly, meats.....89 53

Jackson Gaslight Co., gas.....5 25
E. Ginocchio & Bro., provisions.....157 13

SALARY FUND.

M. Newman road commissioner W. M. Amick, road commissioner.....25 00

A. B. McLaughlin, road commissioner.....25 00
E. B. Moore road commissioner F. B. LeMoin, road commissioner.....25 00

GENERAL BRIDGE FUND.

F. B. LeMoin, lumber and labor.....231 77
W. M. Amick, bridge work.....59 24

M. Newman, pipe.....10 00
E. B. Moore, lumber and labor.....72 16

ROAD FUND.

W. M. Amick, road work dist. 2.....48 00
E. B. Moore, road work dist. 2.....32 00

M. Newman, road work dist. 1.....117 35
A. B. McLaughlin, road work dist. 3.....40 00

F. B. LeMoin, road work dist. 5.....64 00

the board in relation to certain cases of scarletina.

Claim of J. E. Kelly for \$5 for services in attending horses afflicted with glanders is laid over until next meeting for investigation.

The district attorney is instructed to prepare a deed to a certain road or grade known as the Uncle Dan hill on the Middle Fork road from Mrs. M. E. Sharenbroch to Amador county, and present the same at the next meeting of the board.

Claims of C. D. Brook for rebate of taxes laid over until next meeting.

In the matter of petition of L. P. Haney et al for road leading from Jackson to Boston store—Joseph Marre refuses to act as viewer in said matter, and W. D. Dufrene is appointed to act in his stead. Matter continued until next regular meeting.

Petition of C. W. Swain et al to open up Sutter street, in Ione—Petition withdrawn, said street having been opened.

Applications of P. Marizza, R. W. Carroll, and Amadeo Massa for liquor licenses granted.

Letter from L. E. Aubrey, state mineralogist, is read, asking Amador county to subscribe \$500 for geological maps to be furnished by said Aubrey.

Letter from Frank Smith, county clerk of Alpine county, in relation to allowance for patient in hospital is read.

Moved and carried that the removal of the fire bell from the hall of records be referred to Supervisor M. Newman.

Warrants were cancelled as follows: School fund.....\$ 1848 59

Current expense fund.....891 30
Hospital fund.....637 75
Salary fund.....2162 47
Plymouth special building fund.....32 50

Total.....\$5572 61

Matter of constructing a new bridge at Carbondale across the lagoon—I

appearing to the board that the construction of above bridge is a great emergency, it was moved and carried that the board examine said bridge.

Adjourned until October 14.

A Heavy Special Tax.

In Enterprise school district there has been levied a special school tax of 70 cents on each one hundred dollars of assessable property. This is the maximum limit of special school tax, although it is not near enough to raise the amount of money that the trustees required.

The trustees called a special election to vote on the proposition of raising \$200 for school improvement. The tax was voted without opposition.

The next thing was to ascertain how much of a tax would be needed to raise the required amount. And right here they ran against a snag. It was found that the assessment roll of that school district footed up between \$14,000 and \$15,000. Reckoning on 85 per cent of this amount, as the law requires, it was found that to raise \$200 a special tax of \$1.70 on the \$100 would be required. But the law has wisely interposed its veto to the levy of such a burdensome tax in one year, by placing the limit at 70 cents. This certainly ought to be steep enough to meet the views of the most ardent school reformer; at any rate, we venture to say it is the utmost drain upon the pockets of the residents of Enterprise that the law allows. This levy will have to be repeated next year, and still leave a shortage that will require a tax rate of 30 cents for the following year to wipe out. Enterprise district has about 30 census children within its limits. The district enjoys the distinction of distancing all competitors in the matter of special taxes.

Health Officers' Reports.

Dr. A. L. Adams of Ione, reports that no cases of infectious or contagious diseases have come under his observation. He was called to investigate two cases of glanders—a horse and mule, and quarantined them to await developments. The animals were subsequently killed.

Dr. B. T. Freshman of Township 4, reports an epidemic of scarlet fever, eight cases having occurred at Amador City, also two cases of diphtheria and one case of smallpox. He attributes the outbreak of scarlet fever to failure in previous cases to enforce disinfection of premises and personal effects.

Dr. B. H. Schacht at Jackson, reports the quarantine lifted on the two cases of smallpox, and no case of the disease existing at present. Four cases of scarlet fever occurred, all recovered except one, at present under treatment and premises quarantined.

Stepped Into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for 3 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by D. B. Spagnoli. 25c.

License Collector's Statement.

The license collector, during the quarter ending September 30, sold county licenses as follows:

81 retail liquor, towns.....\$ 1215 00
41 retail liquor, wayside.....315 00
19 wholesale liquor.....142 50

9 merchandise, \$7.50.....67 50
6 merchandise, \$5.....30 00
10 merchandise, \$2.50.....25 00

25 merchandise, \$2.50.....62 50
39 merchandise, \$1.50.....58 50

5 wagon peddlers.....50 00
6 pack peddlers.....21 00

3 bankers.....75 00
6 theater.....15 00
4 telephone.....20 00

1 telephone.....30 00
3 water.....75 00
2 gas electricity.....100 00

1 gas electricity.....5 00
2 hawkers, etc.....20 00
3 hawkers.....60 00

Total.....\$2364 00

The Best Prescription For Malaria.

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price, 50c. may 24-6m.

Jesse Moore Whiskies are famous the world over for purity and flavor as well as for all the other qualities that make good whiskey.

IN THE OUTSIDE PRECINCTS

Correspondents Send News to Ledger Readers.

Letters from Ankum, Ione and Pine Grove.—A Unique Entertainment Given at Ione.

AUKUM, October 5.—The late rains have made the roads good, and it is a real pleasure for teamsters to take their loads from mountain to valley, and from city to mountains.

Mr. King, the blacksmith from Shenandoah valley, has bought Mr. Woodford's place at Uno, El Dorado county, and moved his family there.

William Burns of Ankum, is attending to the sale of his sister's (Mrs. H. Bell of Shenandoah valley) crop of grapes and other farm produce. Mrs. Burns has been with her parent's (J. Crain Sr.) family of Shenandoah for the past two weeks.

Mr. Starks and wife made a trip to Sacramento to purchase winter supplies.

Chas. Bell and son Cleve have returned home from Nome. They report a bad season at that place; too much rain and ice, and a short season for miners to make a success of digging for gold.

Laura and Mill Votaw have returned from Sacramento, where they have been to purchase furniture for their new home, which is nearly completed.

Mrs. Mary Whitacre is spending a few weeks in Sacramento, visiting the Hite's family.

Alf Olin and family, after spending a week in Placerville, their old home, have returned to Uno.

District Attorney Darlington came from the county seat to sell the effects, at guardian sale, of young Griffin Oleta, who was pronounced insane and taken to the asylum at Stockton.

John Snyder and E. Wilder of Alameda, drove through to Ankum to visit Snyder's uncle, Herman Vinevitz.

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One of the most unique entertainments ever held in this city was given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, October 5, in the Pavilion; the feature of the entertainment being a trade's carnival, in which most of the business men were represented, the program being varied with music, recitations and singing, followed by light refreshments. It was a decided success, and netted the ladies \$80.

Miss Edith Cooley of Stockton, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cooley.

Supervisor M. Newman of Jackson, was notified in our city Tuesday in company with Supervisor Wes. Amick.

Mrs. D. Stewart and daughter Agnes, who have been visiting relatives in the East for the past six months, returned to their home here last Saturday.

Principal Haste of the public school in this city, has submitted his report, which shows an enrollment of 188 pupils.

The Ione academy is progressing fine, and it now has an enrollment of 28 students.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church held one of their pleasant socials in the lecture room of the church last Tuesday evening. A good program was rendered, followed by refreshments and a general good time of games, etc.

Wm. Nichols Jr., grand master, paid Ione Lodge No. 51, I. O. M. F., an official visit last Tuesday evening, October 8, and after lodge adjourned all present repaired to the Commercial hotel, where a banquet awaited them. And still our little city is progressing. The three Foundry, Geo. H. Dunlap's, and M. Isaac's cottages are being rushed to completion. Several more new cottages are to be erected in the near future.

AMADOR CITY.

AMADOR CITY, Oct. 9.—Mrs. O. T. Moore of Gilroy, is the guest of her father, J. R. Tregloan.

Mrs. Peters came over from Jackson Tuesday eve, and returned Wednesday. She has rented her house here to Dr. Baker for the winter.

